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Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR STERILIZING A PACKAGING SHEET MATERIAL

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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1	.		Α.		olicant(s) requests that any previously unentered after final amendments <u>not</u> be entered. ntinued examination is requested based on the enclosed documents identified in item 2 below.					
	1	olicant(s) previously submitted the following documents for which continued examination is uested:								
					Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on					
					Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on					
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3.		Small entity status is hereby claimed.
		No additional claim fee is required.
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		application prior to this submission:

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	No. of Claims			Extra Claims	Rate	Fee
Examination Fee (18	801)					\$ 790.00
Total Claims	20	MINUS	20 =	0	x \$50.00 (1202) =	\$ 0.00
Independent Claims	9	MINUS	8 =	1	x \$200.00(1201) =	\$ 200.00
If multiple dependen	t claims are p	resented	, add \$	360.00 (1203)		
Total Fee						\$ 990.00
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TOTAL FEE DUE					\$ 990.00	

4.		A check in the amount of	fis enclosed for the fee due.					
5.		Charge t	o Deposit Account No. 02-4800 for the fee due.					
6.	×	Charge \$ 990.00	to credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.					
7.		Applicant(s) requests suspension of action by the Office until at least which does not exceed three months from the filing of this RCE, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c). The required fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) is enclosed.						

The Director is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800. This paper is submitted in duplicate.

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Respectfully submitted,

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